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PERSONALS

R. W. Shonda and J. Rolf Scarles were in Boston last Thursday and Friday on legal business.

J. L. Ellis of New York was in town last week surveying the town for a map by the Sanborn Fire Insurance Map Company.

Miss Frances Cree, stenographer for F. C. Mayo, has returned from a several days' visit in Canton, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Jeffersonville were guests over Sunday of Mrs. Abby Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Chamberlain spent Friday in Monroe.

Mrs. Herbert Lyster of Woodville was a guest of Mrs. Fannie Bennett last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Palmer were called to Groveton, N. H., Monday by the sudden death of an aunt.

Albert Hall and Miss Mertie Hill were married Saturday morning at the parsonage of the Grace Methodist church.

Miss Jennie Underwood has resigned her position with Leach and Waterman and has gone to her home in Danville.

Mrs. Josephine Bowles, who has been employed in the Berry-Ball store, takes Miss Underwood's place.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Stone are at Wallaston, Mass., this week attending the commencement exercises of Quincy Mansion school where their daughter, Edith, is one of the graduates.

Mrs. Lawrence P. Leach returned Saturday from an extended trip in the west.

A. J. Higgins spent a few days last week in Arlington, Mass.

Mrs. F. T. Porter of West Burke was in town one day last week.

Miss Eda Brigham has been confined to the house by illness.

Mrs. George Asselin and son, George, have been spending a few days in Bolton.

Arthur Rich of Newport called on friends in town Thursday.

Many old friends of Rev. Washington R. Laird, Ph. D., a former Presbyterian minister here, will be interested in the news of the marriage of his eldest son, Renwick Sloan Laird, and Miss Esther R. Sampson, at the parsonage of the First Baptist church in Newport, R. I., on Saturday evening, May 11.

Rev. Mr. Laird is now pastor of the First Presbyterian church at West Chester, Pa., and for the past year his son has been working as draughtsman for a machine manufacturing company in Providence, R. I., doing special work in designing.

Mrs. Joseph Humphrey and her daughter, Miss Ethel Humphrey, of Pike, N. H., were guests of friends here Wednesday and Thursday.

Charles H. Marshall was in Bridgton, Me., Thursday and Friday

on business.

Henry Ranney of Kirby was in town Saturday to give a deed of a two acre lot of timber land to the Odell Paper Company of Groveton, N. H. He received \$10 an acre for the land. This was Mr. Ranney's first visit to town in several weeks as he has been disabled with three broken ribs the result of a fall from a tree on his farm.

Henry Eglington who has been working in Carr's livery stables on Central street went Monday to E. A. Darling's stables in East Burke to assist in the care of Mr. Darling's Morgan horses. Piny Hale has begun work at the Carr stables.

Mr. and Mrs. John Emerson and son, Guy, of Saco, Me., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Harriman.

Mrs. James Hicks is spending ten days in Barre with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Russell and Mrs. Glen Ferry.

Miss Anna Brady of Bakersfield was here last of the week with her sister, Miss Laura L. Brady, who has been ill for a few days.

Miss Florence Bean is spending two weeks in Boston and vicinity.

Miss Helen Gray has returned home from her school duties at Columbia University, New York City.

Miss Irene Peck and Miss Portia B. McGill were in Hanover, N. H., Friday to attend the Dartmouth Junior Prom.

E. M. Taft of Whitinsville, Mass., called on friends in town last of the week.

Miss Mildred Stiles of Somerville, Mass., is spending the week with friends.

Mrs. Ira Preston returned Sunday from West Stewartstown, N. H., where she has been spending two weeks with relatives.

Friends of Benjamin Barrett, St. J. A. '09 will be interested to know that he has recently accepted a position as foreman on a 300-acre farm in Springfield.

Mrs. Ella Truxa is spending two weeks with friends in Malone, N. Y.

Mrs. J. L. Perkins of New York City, a former resident of this town, came here the first of the week and will spend the summer at the Burton's.

Miss Gertrude Bennett of Orleans spent Sunday with Miss Gertrude F. Brigham.

News has been received here of the illness of Mrs. Anna Goss Dean with pneumonia at her home in Rochester, N. H.

Miss Henrietta Wright and brother, Bennie Wright, are spending a week in Boston.

Mrs. E. S. Bailey entertained the Grace Unity club on Friday evening. Games were played and refreshments served.

Sister Superior at Notre Dame convent returned this morning from Montreal where she has been attending retreat at the Mother House.

Mark Cutting of Morrisville was the guest of A. W. Billings part of last week.

Mrs. Lee Morgan of Burlington spent last week with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Douglas.

Col. W. W. Sprague was taken ill at Newport Saturday and brought home that night. He is still confined to the house.

Lieut. Leigh Noyes who is on the Florida came up from New York the last of the week to spend three days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Noyes.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eaden of Peacham are spending two weeks with their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Ricker.

Rev. Peter Black will be the Memorial Day orator at North Stratford, N. H., this year.

Mrs. Helen C. Thompson delightfully entertained a few South church ladies Thursday afternoon at her new home on Summer street.

Miss Katherine Flynn returned yesterday from New York City where she has been spending several months. Her great uncle, John Gill, accompanied her.

Eighteen young friends of Miss Vivian Hall gave her a surprise party on Saturday evening to celebrate her birthday. Games were played, refreshments served and she was presented with a locket and chain and smaller gifts.

The friends of Mrs. Herbert DeLand Williams will be interested to

know that she has recently finished decorating in the new house of W. R. Williams, principal of the schools at Hastings, N. Y., also some decorations in the house of George Kibbe Turner and is now under contract for the redecoration of an entire house for a New York furniture dealer. Mr. and Mrs. Williams have just completed the cover for the July McClure.

Judge Henry C. Ide and Miss Marjorie Ide are now at Port Washington, L. I., with Mr. and Mrs. Cockran and Judge Ide plans to visit St. Johnsbury very soon.

Mrs. E. H. Emmons will visit her sister in Lunenburg next week.

Mrs. Oscar Lancot of Stanstead is visiting her father, Joseph Bisson.

Mrs. Oliver M. W. Sprague and two children come this week from their home in Cambridge, Mass., to spend the summer in St. Johnsbury.

Arthur H. Weston of Mount Vernon, Me., son of Rev. Costello Weston, pastor of the church of the Messiah, has distinguished himself all through Yale as a Latin student and is now studying in the American Classical school at Rome, having won a fellowship for a year's study. He began by winning prizes his freshman year, the first Latin prize his sophomore year, another prize and Phi Beta Kappa his junior year and his senior year the first prize and honors in the classics. He wrote the class ode and stood fourth in his class. Since his graduation he has won fellowships with the degrees of M. A. and Ph. D. On his return from his year in Rome he will become an instructor in Latin and Greek at Yale.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Howard of Barre are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy N. Howard for a few days.

Arthur Hawkinson spent Sunday with his parents. Mr. Hawkinson has been transferred by the Boston and Maine from Boston to Woodsville, N. H.

Miss Elizabeth Davidson of York, Me., is the guest of Miss Grace McLam.

Mrs. Frederick Renaud of Montreal, P. Q., is spending the week with Mr. William Boynton.

D. H. Bowman and Charles Butterick of Boston were in town recently.

Mrs. Myra Cary of San Francisco, Cal., has been the guest of her son, George C. Cary.

S. A. Burbank has resigned his position at F. E. Potts.

Albert Higgins, the four months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Johnson died yesterday morning after two weeks of great suffering.

Miss Mabel Spencer is ill with tonsillitis.

G. C. Cary is in Canada this week on business.

Mrs. Joseph Wilde of Cambridge, Mass., will spend the summer in town with her daughter, Miss Eva L. Wilde.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Murphy spent Sunday at Willoughby lake.

Mrs. Maude A. May and daughter, Viola, will spend the holiday with relatives in Concord.

The following have been attending the annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Union at Swanton: Mrs. Rebecca Fairbanks, Mrs. John Underwood, Mrs. Carrie T. Hinman, Miss Ruth Adams from the South church and Mrs. Charles Stanley and Mrs. George Wright from the North church.

Elisha May and Harland B. Howe were in Windsor last week where they represented Eugene Stone in a case against the Connecticut Valley Lumber Company tried in federal court. Mr. Stone sought to recover damages for undermeasurement of timber in a contract and was given a verdict for \$3,897.08.

Miss Elizabeth Day returned Wednesday from Atlantic City, N. J., where she has been spending the past few weeks.

Warning Automobilists and Others.

On account of numerous complaints and in accordance with instructions by village trustees I hereby notify and warn automobilists that a closer observance of the speed laws within the village limits is required, that automobilists should observe the state road laws and turn to the right in meeting teams, or automobiles and in passing them turn to the left, that special care must be taken to slow down before turning the corners at the foot of Eastern Avenue and in turning from Railroad street onto Portland street, that pedestrians must be given the right of way by both automobiles and teams at the street crossings and that teams should also observe the road laws and turn to the right when meeting automobiles or other teams, and to the left in passing them.

Warning is also given that bicyclists must not ride on the sidewalks. Violations of these regulations will be followed by arrests and prosecutions according to law.

J. B. FINLEY,
Chief of Police.

CHURCH NOTES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Pythian Building, Sunday morning service 10.45. Subject, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Democritus." The reading room is in the same building and is open daily, except Sunday, from 2.30 to 5 p. m.

First Baptist church, Sunday, 10.30 a. m., subject, "A Twelve Hours Walk." 7 p. m., "Some Things Worth Keeping." The music is under the direction of E. R. Mackay and is a very attractive feature of the service.

Church of the Messiah, Universalist. The pastor's theme Sunday morning will be "Equal Suffrage," a theme which he believes has a bearing on the subject of last Sunday. At the Y. P. C. U. meeting on Wednesday at seven the subject will be "Fear in Religion." Last Sunday's service was given up in the interest of the union service in the Methodist church. Leader Sunday evening George C. Felch. There will be a special meeting of the Men's League

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Last season we ran the course at a loss and unless there is sufficient interest this season to guarantee us the cost of the above it will be cancelled.

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Prices for entire Course, \$1, \$1.50, \$2.

In the vestry Wednesday evening, for election of officers.

The last service of the season will be held in the Summerville school house Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. Paul D. Moody will speak.

At Grace Methodist church on Sunday evening the pastor will preach a special Educational sermon. Subject, "The Obligations of Culture." A special invitation is extended to all students in our schools. In the evening at seven o'clock a special musical program will be rendered by the choir.

The South church pulpit will be occupied next Sunday by Rev. Charles K. Tracy, missionary in Western Turkey, mission at Smyrna and supported by the Congregational churches of Caledonia county.

At the annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the South church held May 17, officers were elected as follows:

President, Mrs. Helen C. Thompson; first vice president, George H. Stuart; second vice president, Mrs. Alexander Drew; secretary, Mrs. Carrie T. Hinman; treasurer, Mrs. Charles H. Stevens. Supper was served and a social time enjoyed. The meeting was held at Elmwood.

Caledonia Association.

Lyndonville will entertain the 75th annual meeting of the Caledonia Association of Congregational churches on June 4 and 5. The program will include: Registration and social gatherings, Tuesday at 11 a. m.; devotional service at 1.30 led by Rev. S. F. Goodheart; organization and business, 1.45; address by Rev. Paul Dwight Moody at 2.15; paper, "The Church and Its Ethical Emphasis" by Rev. H. C. VanHaagen at 3.15; devotional service led by Rev. H. T. Barnard at 7.30, followed by addresses by Rev. C. K. Tracy of Smyrna, Turkey, and Rev. E. F. Tead, secretary of the Congregational Educational society.

On Wednesday morning at 9.00 o'clock, Rev. G. A. Hall will lead a devotional service and will be followed by business and an address by Rev. E. E. Grant on "The Country Church and the Country Minister."

NORTH MONROE.

Loren Bort has been quite sick for a few days and unable to attend school.

Gilman LeClair is at work for Robert Beattie. Mr. LeClair will soon move his family into Maurice Carter's house.

Mary Goodwin is working for Mrs. E. C. Emery for a short time.

Miss Virginia Hastings has finished work for Mrs. Harry Emery and is at her home.

Henry Nelson was sick a few days last week. Frank Sullivan did his farm work.

R. D. Hall passed away at his home Friday having been a patient sufferer for a number of years.

Willis Smith is able to be out and is slowly improving in health.

At the meeting of the Sales People's club held last Wednesday night, the following officers were elected: President, Herbert Smythe; vice president, Louis Kimball; secretary and treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Galbraith; executive committee, B. M. Shepard, Mrs. Maude A. May and Miss Katherine Mulrooney.

RECENT DEATHS

Harriman.

Mrs. Abigail Harriman, one of St. Johnsbury's oldest residents, died early Wednesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Cummings, with whom she had resided since her husband's death 20 years ago.

She had been in failing health since Christmas but on her 93rd birthday was able to see a few friends and enjoyed the day greatly. Those who were so fortunate as to know Mrs. Harriman will never forget the charm and strength of her personality. Her enthusiasm and alertness of mind at 93 were those of a girl and she loved life to the very end. She never wore glasses and read after she was too feeble to do active work, usually her Bible which she had read through 75 times, a record that is probably unequalled even in her generation.

Her life was a long and interesting one and she dearly loved to talk about it. She was born in Barnet, March 13, 1819 to Capt. Robert and Judith Wallace Laird and was named Abigail Wallace. Her father lived to be 83 and her mother 83 years. She did the outside work on the farm and also assisted in the spinning and weaving which were such essential duties for the girls in a family of that day. Before her marriage at 26 years of age to Charles Harriman she taught 13 terms of school in Cabot, Albion and Barnet. The year after their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Harriman joined the Walter Harvey church and Mrs. Harriman retained her membership there although she attended the North church when she was young.

When her nephew, Rev. Washington Laird, was preaching at the Presbyterian church here, Mrs. Harriman moved to town that she might attend his church. Two children survive their mother, Mrs. Cummings, with whom she lived, and one son, Wallace E. She also leaves one granddaughter, Rosa Harriman, and two brothers, Capt. Peter B. Laird of West Barnet, who is in his 80th year and John Laird of Spirit Lake, Iowa, who is 88 years old. The funeral was held at the house on Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. H. W. Hulbert officiated based his remarks on passages in Mrs. Harriman's Bible which he had found marked. The bearers were John T. Ritchie, George H. Stuart, Ethan Carr and Robert Stevenson and the interment was in Mt. Pleasant cemetery beside her husband.

Brickett.

Elisha P. Brickett of this town died Sunday morning at the home of his daughter in West Danville, where he had gone for a short visit. He had been an invalid for the past ten years but had been in a more critical condition since January. Mr. Brickett was born in Peacham February 7, 1838. After leaving school he learned the carpenter's trade, and lived for a number of years in Lowell, Valden and Danville. He was also interested in the saw mill business both at West Burke and West Danville. His first wife, Margaret Goodnough of Peacham, died two years after their marriage, and he later married Almira A. Buch of Marshfield, who survives him. To them were born five children, three of whom are living: Mrs. Margaret Merrill, Mrs. Jennie Morrill, both of West Danville, and Ernest T. Brickett of this town. He also leaves one brother, Edmond E. Brickett of Lowell, and two grandchildren, Ralph C. Brickett of New Haven, Ct., and Evelyn M. Brickett of West Danville. Mr. Brickett was a kind husband and father and was ever ready to lend a helping hand to his neighbors and friends. For many years he had been a member of the church at West Danville. The funeral was held this morning at West Danville, Vt. E. C. Currier officiating. Interment was in the family lot in Danville.

Gleed.

News was received here Monday of the death at Morrisville Sunday afternoon of Mrs. Laura K. Gleed after two days' illness with pneumonia following a shock on Friday evening. Laura J. Kenney was born in Bethlehem, N. H., December 4, 1838 and on June 15, 1868, was married to Henry W. Fleetwood of St. Johnsbury and that was her home until her marriage to Philip K. Gleed, on May 14, 1885. Mr. Fleetwood died May 15, 1875. One son survives her, Frederick G. Fleetwood of Morrisville and four sisters, Mrs. Susan Hull and Mrs. Sarepta Joslin of Concord, Mrs. Charlotte Dow of Dubois, Ill., and Mrs. Mahala Richardson of Boston. The funeral will be from the home this afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Walter E. Baker of the Congregational church officiating and interment will be at Morrisville.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Appropriate Pre-Memorial Exercises to be Held Today—The Speakers.

Appropriate Pre-Memorial exercises will be held in all the school-rooms in town this afternoon at two o'clock. It is hoped that there will be some of the veterans present in every room. They will not be asked to make remarks unless arrangements have been previously made for them to do so, so there need be no embarrassment to anyone in coming.

At Summer Street, Lieutenant Governor Slack and W. J. Bigelow will speak to the eighth and ninth grades. Dr. Alfred P. Grint to the seventh grade, and Rev. Paul D. Moody to the fifth.

At Portland street, Marshall Montgomery will speak to the ninth grade, Charles W. Steele to the eighth grade, Rev. F. S. Tolman to the seventh and Corwin F. Palmer to the sixth grade.

On Memorial Day marches, flag drills and recitations will be given in front of the Summer street school by the pupils of the fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grades of that and the Portland street school at half past one o'clock.

The play, "Breezy Point" given by

the teachers, is to be repeated this evening at Lyndonville.

The following pupils of the seventh grade have completed the work in spelling designed for the ninth grade: Cecil Brown, Etta Ruben, Helen Stearns, Edna Streeter.

Alleen Craig and Iva Dennis of the eighth grade, Portland street, have been granted diplomas on the completion of the course in penmanship. This makes 15 pupils of the Portland street school who have won their diplomas for excellence in writing.

Miss Ruby J. Smith and her pupils celebrated the winning of these last two diplomas by a little picnic with refreshments.

The following pupils in the sixth grade, Summer street, have received "Palmer Method" buttons for progress in writing: Bessie McEnroe, Catherine Lafroe, Marjorie Cranston, Grace Roddick, Hazel Harris, and Perley Boomhower.

Captain John McDonald will speak to the pupils of the St. Johnsbury Center school this afternoon.

Ricker's Local Market.

The receipts at W. A. Ricker's market for the week ending May 27, 1912 were:

Poultry, 300 lbs. @ 10 cents.
Lamb, 10 @ 3 to 4 cents.
Hogs, 400 @ 6 to 7 cents.
Cattle, 35 @ 2 to 3 cents.
Calves, 450 @ 5 to 6 1/2 cents.
Milk cows, 30 @ \$45 to \$60.
Wool, 20 cents.
Maple Sugar, 11 cents.

WEATHER.

At Bingham's Drug Store, for the week ending May 27.

| | Highest | Lowest |
|-----------|---------|--------|
| Tuesday | 50 | 35 |
| Wednesday | 67 | 37 |
| Thursday | 53 | 44 |
| Friday | 50 | 47 |
| Saturday | 67 | 35 |
| Sunday | 72 | 37 |
| Monday | 77 | 38 |

CARD OF THANKS.

In this way we desire to express our most sincere thanks and gratitude to the friends, neighbors and members of the Eastern Star and New England Order of Protection for their acts of kindness to our loved one during his illness and for the flowers sent at the time of his death.

Mrs. JAMES WILCOX,
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May 27, 1912.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who kindly assisted us in every way in our recent sorrow, for the beautiful flowers sent in by the neighbors, the Eastern Star, the Rebekah Lodge boys and friends, and to friends who were so kind to us in the sickness and death of our dear mother and grandmother while there.

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Commissioners' Notice.

ESTATE OF ORANGE W. TAYLOR.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the district of Caledonia, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Orange W. Taylor late of Peacham, Vt., in said district, deceased